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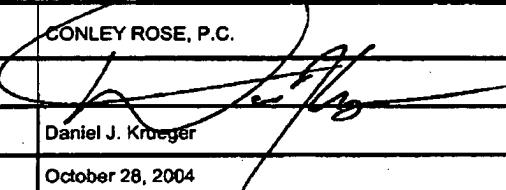
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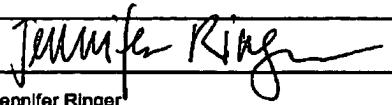
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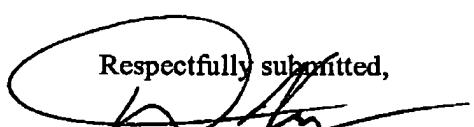
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Sir:

The following summarizes a telephone conversation between Reginald Tyson and applicant's representative, Dan Krueger. Applicant explained that a Notice Regarding Change of Power of Attorney had been received, indicating that the correspondence address had been changed. Applicant asserted that the revocation of the preexisting power of attorney was an error. The power of attorney filed by Thomas Birney may have been authorized by non-signing inventor Abdel M. Zellou, but it was not authorized by Veritas DGC Inc., the applicant in this case. Mr. Tyson indicated that he would reverse the change of correspondence address and reinstate the original power of attorney.

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Respectfully submitted,


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